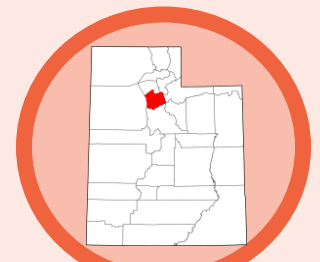


# A TEACHER'S LIFE BY THE NUMBERS



Salt Lake County, UT

Teachers in the US **rate their lives better** than all other occupation groups, trailing only physicians.

## SALARY

The average wage of all full-time workers in the county: **\$64,168\***



Base Salary →

1<sup>st</sup> Year Teacher with a B.A.

**\$58,080-  
\$70,047**

15<sup>th</sup> Year Teacher with a M.A.+

**\$75,580-  
\$102,047**

Data from 2023-2024

Plus

**\$2,026-  
\$7,049**

FOR COACHING like head coach, debate, or band

**\$1,016-  
\$5,642**

FOR CLUBS like robotics club or yearbook

## HOUSING

Median home value: **\$544,038\***



Fair Market rent for a 2-bedroom apartment: **\$1,204\***



A salary of **\$64,100** can buy a home like this:★



**\$254,000**

\*With a 5% down payment, spending 36% of their income on housing

A salary of **\$88,800** can buy a home like this:★



**\$450,000**

\*With a 20% down payment, spending 36% of their income on housing

## RETIREMENT

Most teaching jobs have better retirement benefits than other jobs you can get with the same degree.



**59** Teacher average retirement age

**4 YEARS EARLIER**

**63** All careers average retirement age

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